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SITUATION SUMMARY

Weather of Concern

· No significant Weather Watches or Warnings are in effect.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County: http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

Significant Activity - Cal OES Telecommunications

Cal OES Telecommunications personnel and ACS staff are working with CHP in Big Sur, Monterey County testing radio coverage in preparation for the Big Sur International Marathon scheduled for 4/24-4/26. They are assisting in the construction of a temporary ICP in Carmel, Monterey County. Mobile Interoperability Gateway Unit (MIGU) 2 has been deployed along with a light tower repeater site to the temporary ICP and the Point Lobos North Site to test various frequencies and radio coverage along the course.

Cal EOC Incident - 2014 Drought

SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought



WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

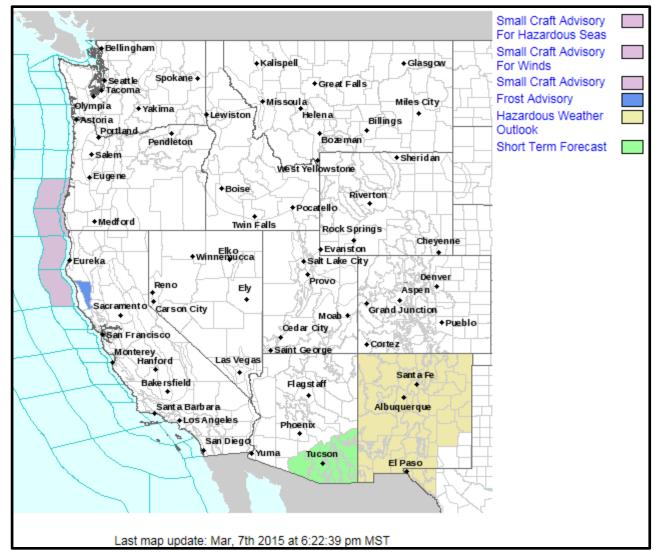
High pressure will remain in control into early next week with dry weather and light winds. Above average temperatures are expected. Expect low afternoon relative humidity with slight overnight recovery.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

High pressure aloft will continue the well above average high temperatures today with weakening surface high pressure over the Great Basin continuing locally gusty northeast to east winds near the coastal foothills this morning. Onshore flow will return for Sunday through Wednesday bringing a cooling trend west of the mountains with increasing humidities. High pressure aloft and weak offshore flow will return for late next week with a warming trend and lower inland humidities.



STATE WEATHER MAP





FIRE ACTIVITY

Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php

NWS California River Forecast Center:

http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/



RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Round Fire, Inyo and Mono Counties

- On 03/03/15, Recovery Individual Assistance (IA) staff conducted a joint County, Cal OES IA, and U.S. Small Business Administration Preliminary Damage Assessment. The damage assessment revealed at least 25 homes and/or businesses have uninsured losses of at least 40 percent of their value. Cal OES submitted a letter on behalf of Mono County to SBA requesting approval of a disaster declaration.
- The Cal OES Assistant Director of Recovery and a Recovery DAPS are deployed to Mono County to assist the County with recovery for the Round Fire event.
- Southern Region staff are attending the Inyo Disaster Council meeting at 1000 today. At 1300 Cal OES staff have a
 meeting/site tour with Mono County Sheriff, CAO and Board of Supervisors to tour the Round Fire burn site.
- The American Red Cross and Salvation Army continue to offer their support services.



CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident - 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate a monthly state interagency conference call regarding drought community impacts.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Costal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur once a month.
- Cal OES Region/Recovery Call frequencies will change on and as needed basis.
- On 03/05/15, the Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison deployed to Tulare County to support the county with drought outreach efforts in the Porterville area.
- On 03/05/15, a Cal OES Inland Region ESC deployed to Tulare County to support the county with drought outreach efforts in the Porterville area.

CAL OES MISSIONS

Cal OES Missions - Ongoing

• 2015-LAW-8888, 03/05/2015, 1749 hours, Butte County Sheriff's Office has requested 3 Human Remains Detection (HRD) K9's (Water Cert preferred) for a search of a wildlife area near Oroville, Butte County for missing person last seen 30 days ago. A specific area, approximately 1 square mile in size, with some areas of swamp (several inches of standing water) will be searched on Saturday, 3/7/15. LDO is coordinating with the law Branch K9 Coordinator to secure these resources.

Cal OES Missions - Closed

2015-LAW-8902, 03/06/2015, International Emergency Rescue Coordination Center (IERCC) advised of a SPOT activation at Black Rock Campground in the Lassen National Forest near Ponderosa Way, Tehama County. LDO contacted Tehama County SO who is responding to the location. Per IERCC 4 subjects are Mt. Biking in this area per the emergency POC.
 Update 3/7/15 @ 0229 hours, Tehama SO advised they located the group, one subject had suffered a broken ankle and was transported to local hospital for treatment. Mission Closed.



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.

